

News of City and County

No more lumber at Ward's mill.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

Dr. McNicol, Osteopath, 719 Court.

Chiropractic adjustments, Dr. E. J. Roberts, 518 Church St., near depot.

Ed Bailey, of Salem, was a Dallas visitor Sunday.

Girls, we have those pink marshmallows! Boots.

Al Kaufman, of Salem, spent Sunday in the city.

J. E. Leonard, of Newberg, was in the city Saturday.

Kieker Wood, of Independence, was in the city Saturday.

Get your fresh country butter at O'Brien's General Store.

Piano for rent. Inquire of L. D. Chasel—the piano man.

H. H. Lowe, of Willamina, was a Dallas visitor last week.

H. H. Towle, of Linnton, came in on the night train Saturday.

W. B. Reed, a prominent Lafayette visitor, was in the city last week.

Mrs. George L. Scott spent the week end visiting friends in Salem.

L. A. Wescott, of Rickreall, was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

L. W. Brown, of Laidlaw, Oregon, was in the city the last of the week.

Verd Hill, of Independence, was in the city on political business Saturday.

J. S. Smith, of Alrie, was a business caller in the city the last of the week.

Fred R. Meyer and Ivan Farmer, of Salem, were Sunday visitors in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. D. Paul, of La Grange, were in the city over Sunday.

A. W. Porter, of Falls City, spent the week end in Dallas visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, of Astoria, were over Sunday visitors in Dallas.

Media sale of Butcher Knives at O'Brien's General Store. 25c values for 15c.

F. Meyer, of Redmond, was a business visitor in the city the last of the week.

W. E. Barnes, of Dayton, Ohio, was registered at the New Scott the last of the week.

A good selection of goods and the best quality at Shepherd's Jewelry store, 425 1/2 Main Street.

Repairing of watches and jewelry at the Shepherd Jewelry store. Come in many people; try us; we can save you.

Phone 1252, French dry cleaning, pressing and pressing. Clothing cleaned for and delivered. McKnight, 111 Mill street.

The Revere hotel at Albany, when the new Hotel Waldorf building, is to be remodeled to add stores and offices below and a swimming house on the upper floors.

Miss Henderson, of Portland, was a visitor in the city the last of the week, leaving Saturday for Monmouth where she attended the teachers' institute on her way home.

—Dallas Wood Yards, Kopiah Coal and Wood; 16 inch and 4-foot wood delivered to any part of the city promptly on telephone call. Office 234; residence 662.

W. L. BARBER, Dealer.

Frank Bethel, recently of Lents, has accepted a position as foreman of the job room at the Itemizer office. Mrs. Bethel is here with him. Mr. Hiltbrandt, former foreman, will move to Portland soon.

Geo. F. Skiff, of the Salem Bar, announces the opening of a law office in the Uglew building, southwest corner of Main and Mill streets, over Fuller's Pharmacy, Dallas, Oregon. Telephone number, 592.

Misses Marie Smith and Edna Simonson, of Salem, were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Simonson. Prescott Simonson of Salem, was also a Sunday visitor at the Willis Simonson home.

County Superintendent H. C. Seymour, Mrs. Frank Wing, Misses Nola Coad, Alta Savage, Vera Burns, Gertrude Pellow, Helen Gurney, Edna Morrison, Ruth Beaver, Addie Boydston, Sadie Meyers, Maude Hart, Alice Grant, Lucy Koppman, and Mrs. Sarah Morrison were passengers on the Independence motor Saturday morning on their way to attend the teachers' institute held in that city. The Falls City teachers drove through Dallas on their way over earlier in the morning.

Mrs. Cass Riggs was in the city shopping Saturday.

Albert Mount, of Falls City, was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Charles C. Lightfoot, of Portland, was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Miss Ella Mehrling, of this city, spent the week end with her parents in Falls City.

Joseph Mortimer, of Albany, was registered at the New Scott the last of the week.

Mark Holmes, of Rickreall, was in Dallas looking after business interests Saturday.

Ed. Stocker, Jr., of Newport, was in the city Friday looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hellwarth, of Falls City, were registered at the Gail on Monday.

W. W. Howett, a prominent bridge-man of Newberg, was in the city the last of the week.

W. W. Nickell, of McMinnville, was in Dallas on a business errand the last of the week.

A. W. Link, of Portland, visited his brother, Homer Link in the city Friday and Saturday.

Lyda Bell, of Salem, and Elsie Keyt, of Perrydale, spent Sunday in Dallas visiting friends.

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O. E. Focht, N. F. Gregg, S. H. McElmury, all of Ballston, are registered at the New Scott this week.

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Alfred G. Lunn, C. C. Lamb, H. M. Morgenstern and H. A. Wilcox, of Corvallis, were registered at the Gail Friday.

A. M. Halleck, of Monmouth, was in the city Saturday attending to business matters and the session of the Republican committee.

Mrs. F. L. Bohn, of Portland, was in the city the last of the week visiting her brother, James Robbie, of Robbie & Catherwood.

From now until further notice the Union Meat Co. will have bulk lard (home rendered) for sale in any amount. Phone No. 13.

D. M. Hampton, a prominent citizen of Monmouth, was in Dallas Saturday attending the meeting of the Republican county central committee.

R. G. and E. G. Balderee, of Eugene, were in the city on Monday on their way to Black Rock where Mr. Balderee owns extensive lumber interests.

Miss Ethel Tooez, a student at U. of O., passed through Dallas on her way to Eugene Sunday, from Falls City, where she has been visiting for a week.

B. L. Barry, secretary of the Oregon Merchants Insurance company, of Portland, and former editor of the Dayton Optimist, was in the city on business Monday.

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SOCIALISTS NAME FULL TICKET

POLK THIRD PARTY MEN HOLD CONVENTION IN DALLAS.

Resolutions Renew Allegiance to Principle of Party; Proclaim For 8-Hour Day and Equal Suffrage.

Placing a full ticket in the field for county and district officers, and declaring its affiliation to the principles of the party as expressed in its state, national and international platforms, the Socialist party of Polk county met in the circuit court room of the Polk county court house at Dallas Saturday afternoon. J. K. Sears served as chairman and George W. Hinshaw as secretary. There was a good attendance of members from all portions of the county and the proceedings were carried out in perfect harmony.

Ticket Nominated.

The ticket placed in the field is as follows: Representative, P. C. Cornwell, Monmouth. Joint Representative, George W. Hinshaw, Dallas. County Judge, A. H. Dennett, Rickreall. Commissioner, E. R. Osgim, Monmouth. Assessor, Tom Bowman, Dallas. County Treasurer, W. H. Miller, Falls City. County Clerk, J. P. Sears, McCoy. School Superintendent, Frank Van Camp, Independence. Sheriff, J. A. Roberts, Dallas. Surveyor, R. E. McDonald, Dallas.

Resolutions Adopted.

The following resolutions and declaration of principles were adopted: "Resolved, That we adopt and declare our allegiance to the principles and platform of state, national and international Socialist party." "Resolved, That we demand an eight hour day for the wage worker of Polk county." "Resolved, Further, That we declare ourselves in favor of the state Socialist convention, referendum, favoring a 30-day franchise law for all citizens of 21 years of age, without property qualifications." "Resolved, That we demand universal suffrage for all citizens." "Resolved, That we stand for the working class, first, last and all the time, and maintain that we are the only party in the field that stands for the abolition of the private ownership of the means of life, and the substitution of collective ownership of the means of life which will give to every worker the full product of his toil."

New Auto Attracts.

The appearance on the streets Monday of a 1912 model Hupmobile touring car attracted considerable attention from auto enthusiasts in Dallas. The car was being exhibited by Mr. Vick, of Salem, who has the agency for Polk county for these cars in connection with the Hudson and Elmore cars. The radically different lines upon which the "Hupp" is constructed was the cause of much comment and favorable expression.

H. H. Parsons, county school supervisor of Polk county, was a Salem visitor from Dallas Monday.

E. C. Shults, former proprietor of a grocery store here, has returned from Los Angeles where he wintered with his family. Mr. Shults expects to make Dallas his home in the future.

Mr. Burkhardt, owner of the Grand theater at Albany, and Mrs. Burkhardt and Mrs. J. H. School, and Miss Gladys Martin, of Albany, motored down Sunday for a few hours' visit with Mrs. Ruby Greenwood.

Miss Birdie Burrell, employed at the New Scott, has been seriously ill the last week. As soon as she is able, she will be moved to the home of her aunt Mrs. Kliever, in this city, who will care for her until she is able to be around again.

Mrs. R. Allgood and sons, Walter and Charles, arrived in Dallas Thursday night from Fargo, Oklahoma, and will make their future home here. Mrs. Allgood is the mother of John R. Allgood, foreman of The Observer office. The family is at present stopping at the Allgood home on Lyle street.

Four big steel and wooden dump wagons were received last week by Ralph Adams to be used in connection with his gasoline tractor in hauling crushed rock from the rock quarry west of the city for street improvement work. Adams started out Monday morning with his outfit to begin on his contract.

William Kroeger, who recently moved here with his family from Central California and purchased the Barham place southeast of the city, was in town Monday attending to business matters. Mr. Kroeger arrived in Polk county on Friday with his family and has moved to his new location.

COURT HOUSE PICK-UPS

Court Items, Real Estate Transfers, Farm Names Filed and Other News Briefly Told.

Medical Licenses.

Albert Mount.

Real Estate Transfers.

Lelia Baker to L. C. Fisk, w. d. lots 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 in Block 1, out lot 4, Monmouth, \$800.

J. L. Hanna et al to Polk County, d. county roadway, \$386.

Columbia Trust Co. to Amelia Birch, north 5 acres of tract 55, Broadmead, contract sale, \$750.

Columbia Trust Co. to Ludwig Mueller, south 5.59 acres of tract 55, contract sale, \$838.50.

W. F. Lindley to Ira Wakefield, w. d. 50 acres in tp 6 s r 6 w, \$10.

Alvin D. Ramp to Maggie May Muehlkamp, w. d. 36.50 acres in tp 7 s, r 3 w, \$10.

Elizabeth Lindfoot to Conrad Dillman, w. d. 7.96 acres in tp 7 s r 4 w, \$10.

Floyd E. Smith to Harriet E. Smith s hf of s hf of sw qr sec 2, tp 8 s r 6 w, w. d. \$10.

A. J. and Laura Barham to William Kroeger, w. d. 100 acres in tp 8 s r 5 w, \$10.

G. W. Johnson to Ella K. Bragdon, lot 4 in block 1, West Salem, w. d. \$10.

Marc Lichtenstein to Jael Spitz, ne qr ne qr sec 16, tp 8 s r 7 w, d. \$10.

J. H. Collins et ux to J. A. Martin, w. d. lots 1, 2, 3, in block 1, Hall's addition to Independence, \$300.

Olivia Meyer to H. L. Lipp, w. d. 24.70 acres in tp 6 s r 7 w, \$1000.

English Cemetery association to James Ray, lot 5 in block 1, English Cemetery, d. \$5.

Margaret Tuttle to W. W. Black, w. d. 20.81 acres in tp 8 r 4 w.

Dorsea Turner to Emmett M. Turner, 25.62 acres in tp 9 r 5 w, d. \$10.

Marriage Licenses.

James N. Stowe to Ethel Lucas, John C. Weaver to Myrtle A. Watts, Roy Clark to Ollie Hinkle.

Probate.

Estate of C. N. Tharp. Bond filed and approved; E. E. Trip, Wm. Campbell and Asa Taylor appointed appraisers.

Estate of Samuel H. Peterson. Final account heard and approved; ordered that all preferred claims be first paid in full and an unpreferred claim pro rata, and on filing final vouchers to be discharged.

Estate of Jabez Thurston, ordered that commission issue to Hon. Thomas J. Clinton, County Judge of Multnomah county, to take deposition of J. N. Hart, Esq., concerning execution of will.

Estate of Mary E. McCaleb, inventory and appraisal filed and approved.

Estate of Lincoln McKee, ordered that citation issue to heirs to appear on Monday, the 17th of June, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why petition for sale of real estate should not be granted.

PROFITABLE PLANS FOR POULTRY EXPLAINED

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all about poultry raising and egg production.

The appliances shown to improve the condition of the poultry and enhance their value to the farmer were all constructed of cheap lumber and packing boxes, such as are usually found on any farm, thus demonstrating that expensive apparatus is not necessary to the successful and profitable propagation of poultry.

Food and the Egg.

Of special interest was the demonstration of colored eggs, showing that the food fed to hens controls their production. Hens fed upon wheat and grains alone produce eggs with white yolks, while those fed green matter with the grain produce eggs with the yellow yolk. Eggs were on exhibition with striped yolks of red and yellow, also pink eggs which were produced by feeding the hen red coloring matter composed of different chemicals and a large amount of petroleum.

Another exhibition of interest was the trap nest, which should be invaluable to all poultry raisers. The hen enters the nest by stepping on a spring board which closes the door after she is inside. She is held captive until released by some one. In this way by numbering each hen with a tag attached to their feet, an accurate account of the laying capacity of each hen is realized. In the same brood, one hen averages 238 eggs per year while another averages 59 per year. The experts explain this as caused partly by the food but principally by poor setting, for which only the best hens are used.

A beautiful White Leghorn hen has the highest laying capacity, averaging 238 eggs per year.

DOCKET IS SMALL AT COMING SESSION.

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in police court Monday.

Eastler declared that Lee was the aggressor and that he (Eastler) tried to keep away from him, but that Lee continued his remarks until he was forced into a fight. He however, pleaded guilty to the charge lodged against him and was fined. He elected to serve out his sentence rather than pay up the debts.

C. A. McCrow, of McCoy, is in the city this week.

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Oregon Power Company

605 Court Street

FISHING TIME

WILL SOON BE HERE

In a very short time the fishing season will begin and you want to be prepared to start forth bright and early on the first day of April and catch as many of the finny tribe as the law allows. To be able to do this you must have your fishing tackle in a perfect condition. If you need anything in the fishing line, we have it and at prices most reasonable.

Come in and look our goods over, we will be pleased to show you. Remember the season opens April 1.

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